

Agenda for SWP call with Hawaii

- Brief introduction of New R9 SWP coordinator - educational/career background
- Overview of DW Sources in the State
 - Total number PWSs in the State? Population served by PWSs? Total number of drinking water sources in the State?
 - Of the total number of sources, how many are groundwater sources? How many are surface water sources?
 - Percentage of the population served by groundwater vs surface water sources.
- Source water assessments
 - Three primary contamination threats to source water in the State? i.e., three primary land use threats, e.g., agriculture, airports, onsite wastewater systems, etc. Agricultural pesticides
 - Three primary pollutants? e.g., organics/pesticides, nutrients, PFAS, HABs, etc.
 - Describe your State's process and schedule to update the source water assessments
- Source water protection
 - Briefly describe the three primary protection tasks or areas of focus for the State source water protect program: e.g., working with agriculture community, developing protection plans for school community water systems, develop GIS portal, coordination with leaking underground storage tank program, developing county source water protection plans, regular public outreach events, etc.
 - Working with Solid and Hazardous Waste Branch on evaluating and mitigating the risk to groundwater and drinking water posed by the Navy's massive Red Hill Fuel Storage Facility.
 - Evaluating the human and environmental risk posed by residential disposal of wastewater.
 - Collaborating with the University of Hawaii and Clean Water Branch on a Statewide evaluation of nearshore sewage pollution. Report writing phase of that effort right now
 - What are the three primary agencies (external agencies and/or internal programs) the program works with, e.g., PWSS, UIC, L/UST, NPS/319, NRCS, USGS, RWA, etc
 - Has the State promulgated groundwater standards (in addition to MCLs)? (Question from Hawaii Rural Water Association)
- Program Funding
 - How is the source water program funded? DWSRF 15% Set-Aside, SRF fees, other? Annual budget, # of FTE?
 - Primary workplan tasks: assessments, monitoring, outreach, planning, implementation projects, coordination? (Please send the grant workplan/budget prior to the call.)
 - Briefly describe program's efforts to coordinate with State NRCS to target Farm Bill and NWQI funds to source water protection.
- Communication preference
 - Quarterly calls?
 - Monthly calls?
 - Email?

Updates from Monthly Regional Meeting held on 1/26/2021

- The Source Water Collaborative Forestry Learning Exchange series about Forestry just launched. Go [to \[HYPERLINK "https://gcc01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fsourcewatercollaborative.org%2F&data=04%7C01%7CEdmund.Nnana%40epa.gov%7C296ab03a60fe426011d208d8c22f4dfc%7C88b378b367484867acf976aacbeca6a7%7C0%7C0%7C637472855707071581%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWlloiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzliLCJBTiI6IklhaWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=bf4rfLlctwtybGn%2FyTvPYsgV2%2FgH4Mxad4cXFG%2BZV9I%3D&reserved=0" \t "_blank" \]](https://gcc01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fsourcewatercollaborative.org%2F&data=04%7C01%7CEdmund.Nnana%40epa.gov%7C296ab03a60fe426011d208d8c22f4dfc%7C88b378b367484867acf976aacbeca6a7%7C0%7C0%7C637472855707071581%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWlloiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzliLCJBTiI6IklhaWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=bf4rfLlctwtybGn%2FyTvPYsgV2%2FgH4Mxad4cXFG%2BZV9I%3D&reserved=0) to get on the mailing list, sign up for webinars, and watch the recordings. Webinars will include:
 - April 15, 2021, 2:30 – 4:45 Eastern: The Catawba-Wateree Initiative – A Case Study of Forests & Drinking Water Collaboration.